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SUBJECT: KOSYGIN'S HEALTH

FOR WHAT IT MAY BE WORTH, ACCORDING TO A MEMBER OF THE
TURKISH EMBASSY, AT ONE POINT DURING HIS RECENT TRIP
KOSYGIN TOLD PRIME MINISTER DEMIREL THAT HE FELT OLD AND
TIRED AND WANTED ONLY TO BE LEFT ALONE TO PLAY WITH HIS
GRANDCHILDREN AND ENJOY LIFE. HE REPORTEDLY SAID THAT HE
HAD SEVERAL TIMES ASKED TO BE ALLOWED TO STEP DOWN, BUT
BREZHNEV TOLD HIM THAT HE, KOSYGIN AND PODGORNYY HAD COME
TO POWER TOGETHER AND WOULD ALL LEAVE TOGETHER.
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